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Foreword

The twenty-fourth annual issue of the North Carolina Tobacco Report was compiled and assembled under the direction of J. H. Cyrus, Chief of the Field Crops Section and J. T. Bunn, Tobacco Marketing Specialist, Division of Markets, North Carolina Department of Agriculture.

In North Carolina, tobacco continues to account for almost two-thirds of the total cash income from all crops. Yet, only one acre in every eleven acres of harvested crop land in North Carolina is planted in tobacco. More than ninety

of North Carolina's counties grow tobacco, and over 300,000 persons — farmers and their families — depend on tobacco for a major source of their livelihood.

North Carolina produces and markets approximately two-thirds of all the flue-cured tobacco grown in the United States, and the tobacco industry of this State manufactures around fifty-five percent of all the cigarettes made in the U. S. A.

Tobacco produced in North Carolina contributes heavily toward this nation's balance in foreign trade. In 1971-72 North Carolina's share of the exports of unmanufactured tobacco contributed \$302 million toward the balance of payment in world trade.

This annual publication contains a wealth of information related to all phases of this great industry, and it is made available to those who request it from year to year throughout the United States and in several foreign countries.

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1972 — A RECORD YEAR

It appears that the record farm prices received in 1972 will go down in history as a year to remember. Record prices were established, not only for tobacco but for most of our major crops in the Tarheel state. Tobacco, of course, is North Carolina's number one cash crop, accounting for more than 60 percent of the cash receipts from all crops produced in this state. After tobacco, the next four leading crops in order of their cash returns are corn, soybeans, peanuts and cotton.

Tobacco — from the grass root farmers on through all phases of the industry — enjoyed one of its best years yet. New records were established in average prices paid to growers for their 1972 flue-cured crop. This resulted in an all-time high gross dollar return from the crop. The 1972 crop was sold during the shortest span of any marketing season on record. Manufacturers also established new records in the total number of cigarettes produced, in the volume of cigarettes exported, and domestic consumption of cigarettes reached an all-time record in 1972. From all indications, the tobacco industry is healthy and growing.

1972 Marketing Season

The record-breaking 1972 flue-cured marketing season was very unusual in that all grades from the poorest to the highest quality sold within a few cents of the same high price per pound. The record average price received by Tarheel flue-cured growers was \$85.65 per hundred pounds — \$8.00 above the previous record established in 1971. This gave North Carolina growers a record gross return of \$572 million from the sale of 667 million pounds of flue-cured tobacco in 1972.

North Carolina burley tobacco growers received an average of \$77.53 per hundred from the sale of their 1972 crop — about \$2.24 per hundred less than the record average of \$79.77 in 1971. However, their gross return of slightly more than \$13.7 million from the sale of 17.7 million pounds of burley tobacco was in line with their average gross returns during the last several years.

New Plateau

The new plateaus reached by the tobacco manufacturing industry in 1972 included an all-time record production of 599

billion cigarettes — up about 4 percent from the previous year. Of the total production, U. S. smokers consumed a record 552 billion tax paid cigarettes, which was 4 percent more than the previous record consumption of 1971. Also, the exports of U. S. manufactured cigarettes reached a new record of 34 billion. The export of cigarettes has increased more than 30 percent during the last 3 years. Thus, it appears that the tobacco industry is in a healthy state, and that the ban two years ago on T. V. and radio advertising of cigarettes has had no noticeable effect on total sales of cigarettes.

Tax Threat

The biggest threat to the tobacco industry today continues to come from state and local governments in their determined efforts to place unreasonable tax burdens on cigarettes, which has had the effect of pricing cigarettes out of the market in many states. There are 36 states that have cigarette taxes that range from 10 cents to 21 cents per pack. The average state cigarette tax currently is slightly more than 12 cents per pack. However, through the broadly expanded program and efforts of the Tobacco Tax Council, the trend toward higher and higher state taxes on cigarettes has been slowed. In 1972 only six states increased cigarette taxes, compared to 15 states in 1971. Thus, it appears that progress is being made in curbing this threat to the tobacco industry.

Outlook for 1973

In view of the over-all improvement in the tobacco situation, the outlook for 1973 is very optimistic. For the first time in many years, the 1973 flue-cured marketing season will start with practically no surplus on hand above the normal reserve supply. In fact, a shortage of supply currently exists in many grades of flue-cured tobacco that come from the lower half of the plant. This situation led to a sharp increase in flue-cured imports in 1972.

Because of the flue-cured supply situation it was necessary under the provisions of the Tobacco Act for the U. S. Secretary of Agriculture to increase quotas by 10 percent for 1973. This increase pushed the national flue-cured quota up to 1, 178.4 million pounds. The net quota carryover from under-marketings in 1972 amounted to 31.7 million pounds. Thus, the effective 1973 national flue-cured quota is for 1,210 million pounds. However, based on U. S. flue-cured growers March 1

intentions of planting 572,000 acres in 1973, at an average yield of 2,000 pounds per acre, it appears that the 1973 flue-cured production will amount to only about 1,144 million pounds. This would be 132 million pounds more than the 1972 production.

North Carolina's share of the 1973 base quota is 778 million pounds, with an under-marketing quota carryover of 18 million pounds. This gives North Carolina an effective quota of 796 million pounds for 1973. Here again, Tarheel growers indicated on March 1 that they would plant only 371,000 acres of their allotted 431,000 acres in 1973. At an average yield of 2,000 pounds, this would project the North Carolina 1973 flue-cured production at about 742 million pounds.

The 1973 U. S. basic burley quota, which under the law must be at least 95 percent of the expected use for the market year, was increased 5 percent pushing the base quota up to 560.5 million pounds. The carryover quota resulting from under-marketing is estimated at 23 million pounds, which put the national effective burley quota at 584 million pounds.

The base quota for North Carolina burley growers is 20 million pounds, plus 4.5 million pounds carried over from under-marketing, giving them an effective quota of 24.5 million pounds for 1973.

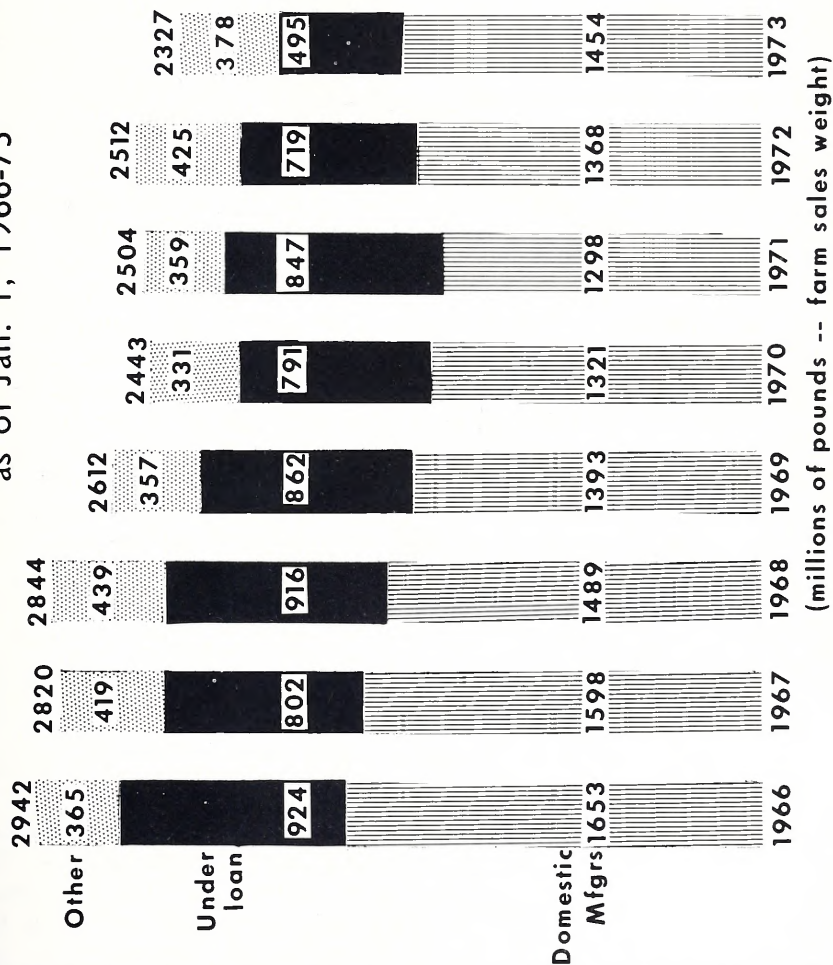
Price supports for 1973 are up 5.4 percent, pushing the average support level for flue-cured up to 76.6 cents per pound. This increase in the support price will hold most top quality grades near the record prices paid for those grades last season. The expected larger volume of tobacco will likely cause some downward shift in prices of poorer quality grades, which will restore the normal spread in the buying pattern. This price spread for flue-cured in 1973 will likely range mostly between \$70.00 and \$90.00 per hundred pounds, with a season average ranging between \$80.00 and \$85.00 per hundred if the quality of the crop is maintained. With the increase in quota, this should give Tarheel growers another record gross income from their 1973 flue-cured crop.

The burley support level was pushed up to an average of 78.9 cents per pound. Thus, burley growers can expect the 1973 crop to average better than \$80.00 per hundred, if they can come up with another good smoking crop.

The current situation throughout the tobacco industry is showing favorable trends. It is expected that the production of cigarettes, as well as domestic consumption, will rise above the record 1972 level. Thus, it appears that all segments of the tobacco industry will enjoy another record year in 1973.

FLUE - CURED TOBACCO TYPES 11-14

Leaf stocks held by domestic manufacturers, under loan, and other
as of Jan. 1, 1966-73



Tobacco Warehouses Required to Carry Adequate Fire Insurance

North Carolina General Statutes 106-465 relating to the "organization and membership of tobacco boards of trade" were amended during the 1973 session of the General Assembly to require that adequate fire insurance coverage be a prerequisite to membership in a Tobacco Board of Trade for the purpose of operating a tobacco auction warehouse.

The amended law states that:

"Each Tobacco Board of Trade organized pursuant to this section shall, on or before June 1, 1973, by regulation, require that all auction warehouse firms which are members of, or may hereafter request membership in, such Board of Trade for the purpose of displaying for sale and selling leaf tobacco, deposit with the Board of Trade prior to the market opening, a copy of a policy of fire insurance and extended coverage in a company licensed to do business in North Carolina to fully insure, as determined by the Board of Trade, the market value of the maximum volume of tobacco that will be weighed and left displayed for sale on said warehouse floor at any time during the marketing season. Warehouses using mechanized conveyor line auction sales where tobacco is not displayed for sale on sales floor would be excluded from the requirement of this regulation.

In determining the market value and maximum volume of tobacco that will be weighed and placed on said warehouse floor at any one time, the Board of Trade shall use as criteria the prior season's official gross average price for that belt, as recorded by the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and the maximum limit of daily sales, as recommended by the currently functioning flue-cured and burley tobacco marketing organizations, applied to each warehouse based on the firm's pro rata share of the market's maximum limit daily sales opportunity, multiplied times the number of days of sales that said warehouse plans to place on sales floor at any one time, including any and all tobacco weighed and deposited with the warehouse as bailee for future sale. The data relating to the official average price and the maximum limits of daily sales shall be assembled and supplied by the North Carolina Commissioner of Agriculture or his representative to the Board of Trade in each tobacco market

in North Carolina, at least 30 days prior to the opening of markets in each belt.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to operate an auction sale in said market until said policy is so deposited with and approved by the Board of Trade. The Board of Trade shall enjoin the sale of tobacco by any warehouse firm that fails to so deposit a policy of fire insurance and extended coverage with the Board."

State Market Summary 1972-73

Congratulations are certainly in order to all North Carolina tobacco farmers who, with help of a good growing season, produced a superb crop of tobacco during 1972. Evidence of fine quality production was demonstrated repeatedly by record high prices in all flue-cured belts. Favorable weather in most areas, except possibly the Old Belt, and other production factions combined to produce a mature, thin to medium bodied crop, superior in quality to any crop produced in recent years. This excellent production came at a time when tobacco stocks were at an unusually low level, so manufacturers and dealers were eager to obtain more than normal percentages of the season sales. Therefore, prices climbed above all predicted levels until most of the crop had been sold. Prices did decline considerably toward the end of the flue-cured season and the farmers that could not sell their tobacco early in the market season were yoked with an additional burden of having to accept prices much less than the season average.

The flue-cured average price for North Carolina markets attained a mark of eminence during 1972, with the State average reaching a record high of \$85.83 per hundred pounds, surpassing the 1971 average by \$8.19 per hundred pounds. Value of 1972 producer sales in North Carolina markets was \$533,407,488 an increase of \$29,493,119 over 1971 sales; and volume decreased to 621,494,537 pounds, down 26,845,159 pounds from 1971 sales.

Burley prices during the 1972-73 season averaged \$77.53 per hundred pounds and is the second highest average on record in North Carolina. This average was down \$2.24 per hundred pounds from the all-time high recorded during the 1971-72 season. Volume and value of the 1972-73 season sales increased substantially over the previous season sales.

TYPE 13. Border Belt markets held opening sales on July 25 and the 1972 record breaking tobacco season commenced. Markets were open for 38 sales days and closed on September 28.

Quality showed improvement again in 1972 with the crop containing an unusually large percentage of cutter and fair to fine leaf.

Grade price averages increased \$2.00-\$13.00 per hundred pounds over last year's average with the larger increases going to lower quality offerings. Border Belt markets established a new record average in 1972 of \$85.38 per hundred pounds, up

\$9.58 per hundred pounds from the 1971 record average.

Producer sales in 1972 declined to 107,710,183 pounds, selling for \$91,966,941. In 1971, producers sold 118,800,860 pounds for \$90,050,761.

Stabilization receipts were smaller in the Border markets than any other North Carolina belt. Only 623,101 pounds went under loan, amounting to 0.6 percent of producer sales. In 1971 stabilization received 9,039,555 pounds or 7.8 percent of producer sales.

TYPE 12. Eastern Belt markets opened for a fourth consecutive record breaking year on August 8. Only 7 markets with 11 sets of buyers operated during the first two weeks of the season, but farmers were well pleased with the limited early opening in 1972. Eastern sales were spread over a period of 52 sales days with final sales occurring on November 9.

Quality was exceptionally good in the east with an increase in percentage of primings and cutters and a larger volume of ripe orange grades being sold. Overall, the eastern crop was the best in several years.

Grade price averages jumped \$3.00-\$11.00 per hundred pounds with practically all grades being up \$7.00-\$10.00 per hundred pounds. Eastern Belt markets achieved the highest season average on record in North Carolina of \$87.34 per hundred pounds, an increase of \$8.81 per hundred pounds over the 1971 average.

Producer sales for 1972 increased slightly to 316,441,050 pounds, returning farmers \$276,394,101. During the 1971 season, producers sold 316,362,168 pounds valued at \$248,454,294.

Stabilization received 8,206,770 pounds or 2.6 percent of producer sales, a decrease from 1971 when 19,204,496 pounds or 6.1 percent of producer sales went to stabilization.

TYPE 11B. Middle Belt markets began another record breaking year on August 22. During the first three weeks of sales, three markets operated with four sets of buyers in accordance with the early limited opening schedule and remaining markets opened on September 11. The season was distributed over a period of 46 sales days and final sale occurred on November 14. Middle Belt growers found early opening to be a very acceptable innovation in the marketing schedule.

Quality of offerings increased slightly with larger percentages of good and fair grades being sold. Most of the crop was ripe but an apparent decrease was noticed in mellow smoking leaf grades.

Grade price averages improved \$1.00-\$11.00 per hundred, with most increases being \$5.00-\$8.00 per hundred pounds. Middle Belt markets reached another level average for the season of \$84.96 per hundred pounds, up \$7.68 from the record set in 1971.

Producer sale pounds decreased again in 1972 to 104,963,197 pounds, but value increased to \$89,176,792. In comparison, the 1971 sales amounted to 113,235,768 pounds and returned farmers \$87,505,872.

Stabilization receipts amounted to 3,123,560 pounds or 3.0 percent of producer sales. During 1971, stabilization received 5,400,965 pounds of 4.8 percent of producer sales.

TYPE 11A. Old Belt markets opened simultaneously with Middle Belt markets in 1972. The beginning date for the two early opening markets, which used three sets of buyers, was August 22, and other markets opened on September 11. North Carolina markets operated for 46 sale days and concluded on November 14 ending a record breaking season.

Quality improved again in 1972 with larger proportions of fair and good grades, especially in the priming, lug and cutter grades. However, there was a sizable increase in the volume of unripe and green leaf grades offered for sale.

Grade price averages for most grades increased \$1.00-\$12.00 per hundred pounds with the larger increases going to priming grades. Some of the unripe variegated leaf grades were down \$1.00-\$6.00 per hundred pounds. North Carolina Old Belt markets established a new record of \$82.13 per hundred pounds, an increase of \$4.70 per hundred over the 1971 season average.

Producer sales volume and value declined in 1972 to 92,380,107 pounds valued at \$75,869,654. In 1971, producers sold 99,580,900 pounds for \$77,104,749.

Stabilization receipts increased in 1972 due to a drop in demand for tobaccos during late season sales. A total of 6,048,814 pounds went under government loan or 6.6 percent sales. In 1971, only 3,774,199 pounds or 3.8 percent producer sales went to stabilization.

TYPE 31. Burley markets opened November 20 for a very good marketing season. Markets operated for 21 sale days and final sales on North Carolina markets were held January 10.

Quality of offerings showed improvement with larger percentages of good and choice grades of medium body. Also, there was a noticeable decrease in green and red grades.

Grade price averages declined \$1.00-\$4.00 per hundred pounds, with most all grades selling within a narrow price

range. The season average for North Carolina markets was \$77.53 per hundred pounds, a decrease of \$2.24 per hundred pounds from the record high season average in 1971.

Producer sales increased substantially on North Carolina markets. Farmers sold 17,092,489 pounds for a price of \$13,251,867 during the 1972-73 season. In 1972-73, growers sold 12,522,449 pounds valued at \$9,989,391.

Burley stabilization receipts were small, only 236,976 pounds or 1.3 percent of producer sales went under government loan during the 1972-73 season. However, no tobacco in North Carolina was placed under loan during the 1971-72 season.

North Carolina Tobacco Warehouse Sales Report For Season 1972-73

Markets	1972-73 Season				1971-72 Season			
	Producers' Sales Pounds	Producers' Average Price	Dealer Resales	Warehouse Resales	Gross Sales Pounds	Gross Average Price	Gross Sales Pounds	Gross Average Price
BORDER BELT — FLUE-CURED TYPE 13								
Chadbourne*	6,692,546	85.40		174,252	6,866,798	85.40	7,736,449	75.73
Clarkton*	6,415,384	85.13		143,896	6,559,280	85.12	7,198,007	75.12
Fair Bluff	6,760,562	85.09	238	103,087	6,863,887	85.13	7,151,968	75.75
Fairmont*	29,161,319	85.45	127,220	1,300,520	30,589,059	85.46	33,455,408	76.00
Fayetteville	6,792,370	84.97	27,478	112,194	6,932,042	84.97	7,756,849	74.58
Lumberton	22,953,920	85.36	56,414	504,714	23,515,048	85.34	24,818,008	74.79
Tabor City*	6,804,369	85.52		190,648	6,995,017	85.49	7,752,164	76.51
Whiteville*	22,129,713	85.57	155,653	337,846	22,623,212	85.55	27,094,492	76.57
Total	107,710,183	85.38	367,003	2,876,157	110,944,343	85.38	122,963,345	75.74
* Non Auction 1,565,093 (Not included in belt total)								
EASTERN BELT — FLUE-CURED TYPE 12								
Ahoskie	9,032,867	86.80		242,419	9,275,286	86.80	9,172,983	77.67
Clinton	9,201,728	88.11	4,666	163,214	9,369,608	87.99	9,724,046	77.59
Dunn	8,920,269	87.38		189,914	9,110,183	87.30	9,506,198	77.77
Farmville	20,527,488	87.62	92,342	205,674	20,825,504	87.55	20,512,122	79.15
Goldsboro	10,124,402	86.66	25,650	130,056	10,280,108	86.52	10,141,240	79.02
Greenville*	45,988,700	87.75	78,306	803,950	46,870,956	87.69	46,204,675	78.39
Kinston	36,276,563	87.99	29,178	715,447	37,021,188	87.87	36,936,487	78.69
Robersonville	8,356,363	87.36	136,464	178,918	8,671,745	87.28	8,938,477	77.14
Rocky Mount	39,620,336	86.08	82,112	468,198	40,170,646	86.01	40,095,487	78.07
Smithfield*	18,751,544	87.13	1,330	785,754	19,538,628	86.86	19,717,526	78.18
Tarboro	8,385,162	87.15	2,374	284,289	8,671,825	86.98	9,042,006	77.57
Wallace	8,932,336	87.73	19,002	32,933	8,984,271	87.71	9,699,766	77.90
Washington	8,515,254	88.49	36,404	137,705	8,689,363	88.38	8,697,109	77.96
Wendell	9,379,803	86.73		42,790	9,422,593	86.70	9,314,678	77.10
Williamston	9,182,420	87.84	4,112	115,808	9,302,340	87.76	9,799,312	78.72
Williamston*	56,733,264	87.29	513,069	1,068,139	58,314,472	87.08	56,545,059	79.47
Windsor	8,512,551	87.76		171,358	8,683,909	87.73	8,472,055	78.11
Total	316,441,050	87.34	1,025,009	5,736,566	323,202,625	87.23	322,519,226	78.45
* Non Auction 20,856 (Not included in belt total)								

MIDDLE BELT — FLUE-CURED TYPE 11B

Aberdeen *	5,522,608	84.69	12,232	252,678	5,787,518	84.47	7,172,089	75.89
Carthage	5,910,921	84.81	13,480	147,162	6,071,563	84.78	7,065,871	76.84
Durham	21,180,939	85.08	268,714	1,016,064	22,465,717	84.99	23,827,614	77.54
Ellerbe *	3,948,250	84.50	177,982	199,962	4,326,194	84.16	5,496,401	74.29
Fuquay Varina	17,022,124	85.81	136,850	652,628	17,811,602	85.63	17,077,226	78.73
Henderson	14,236,026	85.24	31,282	268,448	14,535,756	85.20	15,877,223	77.62
Louisburg	7,605,968	85.24	4,886	146,012	7,756,866	85.11	8,031,624	78.09
Oxford	16,206,205	83.54	11,900	323,876	16,541,981	83.40	17,473,669	76.44
Sanford	6,934,285	86.41	11,386	62,038	7,007,709	86.34	7,169,995	77.82
Warrenton *	6,395,871	84.02	282	352,974	6,749,127	83.83	7,681,673	75.63
Total	104,963,197	84.96	668,994	3,421,842	109,054,033	84.83	116,873,385	77.19

* Non Auction 46,807 (Not included in belt total)

OLD BELT — FLUE-CURED TYPE 11A

Burlington	6,416,997	83.11	10,136	197,284	6,624,417	83.00	7,449,412	76.47
Greensboro *	5,526,258	81.79	5,652	293,482	5,825,392	81.61	7,284,250	76.45
Madison	6,034,129	82.10	35,610	552,976	6,622,715	82.26	7,735,291	78.17
Mebane	4,789,822	84.14	46,010	194,988	5,030,820	83.99	6,631,022	76.52
Mt. Airy *	7,279,426	81.64	7,093	231,736	7,518,255	81.69	7,986,328	77.08
Reidsville *	8,285,524	83.02	31,832	200,380	8,517,736	82.95	8,758,248	77.71
Roxboro	7,267,680	83.26	4,544	192,686	7,464,910	83.14	8,402,516	76.93
Stoneville *	7,525,112	83.32		224,060	7,749,172	83.30	7,713,131	77.65
Winston Salem *	34,158,646	81.47	645,564	1,967,832	36,772,042	81.45	35,852,496	78.45
Yadkinville *	5,096,513	79.71	18,890	671,959	5,787,362	80.98	5,724,672	73.44
Total	92,380,107	82.13	805,331	4,727,383	97,912,821	82.15	103,537,366	77.40

* Non Auction 348,028 (Not included in belt total)

Total Flue Cured 621,494,537

2,866,337 16,752,948 641,113,822

BURLEY BELT — AIR-CURED TYPE 31

Asheville *	9,422,511	78.28	619,420	509,148	10,551,079	78.26	7,967,929	80.07
Boone *	3,727,071	77.61		289,522	4,016,593	77.68	3,059,941	79.83
West Jefferson *	3,942,907	75.66		356,253	4,299,160	75.88	3,160,213	79.00
Total	17,092,489	77.53	619,420	1,154,923	18,866,832	77.37	14,188,083	79.78

* Non-Auction 83,375 (Not included in belt total)

Total All Belts 638,587,026

3,485,757 17,907,871 659,980,654

85.49 680,081,405 77.61

Summary of N. C. Dealer and Warehouse Resales — 1972

Belt	Pounds	Dollars	Percentage Resales
Border Belt			
Dealer	367,003	\$ 309,469	0.33
Warehouse	2,867,157	2,447,137	2.58
Eastern Belt			
Dealer	1,025,009	798,469	0.32
Warehouse	5,736,566	4,734,869	1.77
Middle Belt			
Dealer	668,994	532,314	0.21
Warehouse	3,421,842	2,804,539	1.06
Old Belt			
Dealer	805,331	584,183	0.82
Warehouse	4,727,383	3,979,755	4.86
Total Flue-Cured Resales	19,619,285	\$16,190,735	3.06
Burley Belt			
Dealer	619,420	\$ 484,190	3.28
Warehouse	1,154,923	902,843	6.12
Total Burley Resales	1,774,343	\$1,387,033	9.40

Producer and Gross Sales of Flue-Cured Tobacco By States — 1972

State	Producer Sales		Gross Sales	
	Pounds	Average	Pounds	Average
N. C.	621,494,537	85.83	641,113,822	85.73
Va.	99,263,157	82.45	102,663,716	82.38
S. C.	134,607,276	85.30	138,244,876	85.29
Ga.	135,779,296	85.45	140,563,450	85.44
Fla.	24,430,474	85.49	25,118,393	85.48
Total	1,015,574,740	85.37	1,047,704,257	85.30

Flue-Cured Movement In and Out of North Carolina

State	N. C. Tobacco Sold Out of State (Pounds)		Out of State Tobacco Sold in N. C. (Pounds)	
	1972	1971	1972	1971
Va.	20,850,376	24,616,564	6,383,287	7,120,885
S. C.	15,234,341	21,831,607	7,845,371	8,588,961
Ga.	18,684,831	26,780,462	16,020	70,903
Fla.	5,460,787	5,240,997	-----	-----
Ala.	-----	-----	-----	3,952
Total	60,230,335	78,469,630	14,244,678	15,784,701

Burley Tobacco Movement In and Out of North Carolina

State	N. C. Tobacco Sold Out of State (Pounds)		Out of State Tobacco Sold in N. C. (Pounds)	
	1972	1971	1972	1971
Tenn.	3,334,308	2,578,212	523,875	378,600
Va.	2,342	6,070	1,178,309	902,092
W. Va.	-----	-----	32,306	28,283
Ga.	-----	-----	38,719	11,484
S. C.	-----	-----	2,146	1,222
Total	3,336,650	2,584,282	1,775,355	1,321,681

Flue-Cured Stabilization Receipts
By Types and States — 1972

State	Type	Producer Sales (lbs.)	Stabilization Receipts (lbs.)	Percentage Stab. Received
Va. Total	11A	99,263,157	5,386,949	5.4
N. C.	11A	92,380,107	6,048,814	6.6
N. C.	11B	104,963,197	3,123,560	3.0
N. C.	12	316,441,050	8,206,770	2.6
N. C.	13	107,710,183	623,101	0.6
N. C. Total	11-13	621,494,537	18,002,245	2.9
S. C. Total	13	134,607,276	471,219	0.4
Ga. Total	14	135,779,296	400,536	0.3
Fla. Total	14	<u>24,430,474</u>	<u>19,978</u>	<u>0.08</u>
Total All Types	11-14	1,015,574,740	24,280,927	2.4

Burley Stabilization Receipts
For N.C. and Total U.S. — 1972-73

State	Type	Producer Sales (lbs.)	Stabilization Receipts (lbs.)	Percentage Stab. Received
N. C.	31	17,907,871	236,976	1.32
U. S. Total	31	590,511,433	22,855,681	3.87

N. C. Burley Tobacco Allotments*

1973

County	Number Farms	Base Poundage	Effective Poundage	Rank
Alleghany	572	595,934	680,929	9
Ashe	2,627	2,460,455	2,965,820	4
Avery	245	271,905	349,480	10
Brunswick	1	176	343	31
Buncombe	2,968	3,050,433	3,758,545	2
Burke	17	7,954	13,330	21
Caldwell	20	11,363	19,292	20
Cherokee	193	139,532	213,009	14
Clay	230	166,315	235,909	12
Cleveland	8	4,847	6,353	22
Davidson	2	1,438	1,317	27
Gaston	1	733	1,430	28
Graham	684	632,974	757,263	8
Granville	1	265	517	30
Haywood	1,907	1,929,259	2,350,898	5
Henderson	120	81,681	136,830	16
Iredell	3	2,905	5,667	24
Jackson	277	215,304	352,911	11
McDowell	72	48,422	74,672	18
Macon	248	153,493	243,020	13
Madison	2,863	4,666,773	5,290,800	1
Mitchell	964	1,163,950	1,431,386	7
Polk	4	2,084	4,066	26
Rutherford	54	30,200	51,767	19
Stokes	2	600	484	29
Surry	7	2,560	2,960	25
Swain	208	135,037	230,098	15
Transylvania	67	48,569	66,161	17
Watauga	1,698	1,746,239	2,199,727	6
Wilkes	6	3,431	4,048	23
Yancey	1,843	2,469,005	3,023,008	3
TOTAL	17,912	20,043,836	24,472,040	1-31

*Source: USDA Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

N. C. Flue-Cured Tobacco Allotments* — 1973

County	Number Farms	Base Acreage	Base Poundage	Effective Acreage	Effective Poundage	Rank
Alamance	1,453	4,159.46	6,857,924	4,340.84	7,170,451	36
Alexander	940	1,189.29	1,832,920	1,899.88	2,941,281	51
Anson	254	338.93	490,870	541.05	768,207	61
Beaufort	2,296	8,418.12	14,618,015	8,613.53	14,957,370	22
Bertie	1,644	5,096.55	9,466,797	4,950.11	9,188,013	30
Bladen	3,013	6,534.95	12,284,766	6,556.89	12,325,337	26
Brunswick	1,662	2,906.33	5,465,831	2,991.13	5,616,137	39
Burke	1	.51	873	.97	1,661	68
Cabarrus	1	.02	13	.04	26	71
Caldwell	259	423.03	711,207	657.57	1,110,130	60
Camden	2	4.14	8,477	26.36	60,970	65
Carteret	358	1,183.33	2,055,222	1,242.94	2,158,620	50
Caswell	1,887	8,117.22	13,627,870	8,825.15	14,820,141	23
Catawba	2	2.99	3,502	8.33	8,802	67
Chatham	993	2,362.46	3,422,624	2,658.77	3,838,630	47
Chowan	172	484.08	844,159	482.62	839,225	58
Cleveland	1	.31	535	.59	1,018	69
Columbus	4,796	14,711.78	32,426,934	14,620.95	32,223,281	4
Craven	1,680	7,507.53	13,627,615	7,380.58	13,372,318	24
Cumberland	2,289	4,712.91	8,758,965	4,691.30	8,737,721	33
Dare	1	.07	78	.13	145	70
Davidson	1,857	2,883.56	4,458,528	4,090.72	6,341,997	44
Davie	826	1,031.16	1,478,692	1,399.43	2,040,122	55
Duplin	4,088	13,722.59	25,670,496	14,002.55	26,177,723	12
Durham	918	3,182.12	4,732,109	3,602.41	5,359,314	43
Edgecombe	1,475	10,247.12	20,144,538	9,772.72	19,218,660	14
Forsyth	2,279	4,192.28	6,542,750	5,581.18	8,713,538	37
Franklin	2,643	10,096.59	17,753,402	9,911.53	17,411,810	17
Gaston	1	4.06	5,315	7.75	10,145	66
Gates	111	237.43	419,865	231.07	407,964	62
Granville	2,122	11,869.43	19,770,572	12,544.01	20,880,808	15
Greene	1,249	10,576.46	21,871,271	10,078.21	20,842,016	13
Guilford	3,258	8,033.06	13,206,218	9,613.48	15,864,854	25

North Carolina Burley Crops

1928 - 1972 *

Year	No. Acres	Yield Per		Value (1,000 Dollars)	Average Price
		Acre (Pounds)	Production (1,000 lbs.)		
1928	3,600	650	2,340	\$ 690	\$29.50
1929	5,500	730	4,015	863	21.50
1930	7,200	750	5,400	853	15.80
1931	7,100	710	5,041	464	9.20
1932	6,500	735	4,778	726	15.20
1933	9,200	785	7,222	715	9.90
1934	5,500	870	4,785	809	17.50
1935	5,200	925	4,810	1,025	21.30
1936	6,000	900	5,400	2,095	38.80
1937	9,000	975	8,775	1,787	21.40
1938	8,600	900	7,740	1,308	16.90
1939	8,100	1,070	8,667	1,447	16.70
1940	6,500	1,050	6,825	1,242	18.20
1941	6,200	1,075	6,665	2,093	31.40
1942	6,600	1,150	7,590	3,211	42.30
1943	8,500	1,225	10,412	5,102	49.00
1944	12,000	1,390	16,680	8,157	48.90
1945	13,000	1,500	19,500	7,568	38.30
1946	9,800	1,475	14,455	5,999	41.50
1947	9,600	1,560	14,976	6,335	42.30
1948	10,300	1,680	17,304	8,012	46.30
1949	10,800	1,440	15,552	6,750	43.40
1950	10,500	1,700	17,850	9,175	51.40
1951	12,200	1,750	21,350	11,572	54.20
1952	12,000	1,680	20,160	9,818	48.70
1953	11,400	1,800	20,520	11,019	53.70
1954	12,700	1,920	24,384	12,680	52.00
1955	9,800	1,900	18,620	10,651	57.20
1956	9,400	1,850	17,390	10,747	61.80
1957	9,600	1,975	18,960	11,073	58.40
1958	9,300	2,000	18,600	11,978	64.40
1959	9,800	2,060	20,188	11,426	56.60
1960	9,500	1,940	18,430	12,016	65.20
1961	10,400	2,090	21,736	14,346	66.00
1962	11,000	2,185	24,035	14,421	60.00
1963	11,000	2,285	25,135	13,573	54.00
1964	9,700	2,165	21,000	12,054	57.40
1965	8,900	2,030	18,067	12,159	67.30
1966	7,900	2,320	18,328	12,371	67.50
1967	7,800	2,010	15,678	11,037	70.40
1968	7,900	2,385	18,842	13,868	73.60
1969	7,900	2,570	20,303	13,928	68.60
1970	7,300	2,545	18,579	13,544	72.90
1971	7,000	2,065	14,455	11,535	79.80
1972 **	7,700	2,300	17,710	13,637	77.50

North Carolina Flue-Cured Crops
1920 - 1972 *

Year	No. Acres	Yield Per Acre (Pounds)	Production (1,000 lbs.)	Value (1,000 Dollars)	Average Price
1920	621,900	681	423,703	88,271	20.80
1921	414,900	594	246,540	60,402	24.50
1922	444,000	611	271,170	74,572	27.50
1923	544,300	728	396,354	81,998	20.70
1924	473,500	585	276,819	62,597	22.60
1925	536,200	696	373,352	83,756	22.40
1926	546,700	692	378,274	96,762	25.60
1927	639,600	755	482,982	100,414	20.80
1928	712,400	692	493,132	93,450	19.00
1929	729,300	665	484,630	89,470	18.50
1930	768,000	757	581,200	74,733	12.90
1931	688,500	692	476,382	42,024	8.80
1932	462,500	624	288,750	34,949	12.10
1933	667,800	794	530,133	85,530	16.10
1934	486,500	847	412,055	117,999	28.60
1935	612,500	635	572,625	116,418	20.30
1936	591,000	765	451,975	101,856	22.50
1937	675,000	883	595,815	143,058	24.00
1938	603,500	844	509,470	115,428	22.70
1939	843,000	964	812,540	123,893	15.20
1940	498,000	1,038	516,835	85,792	16.60
1941	488,000	928	452,825	132,291	29.20
1942	539,000	1,052	566,810	221,538	39.10
1943	580,000	935	542,200	219,074	40.40
1944	684,000	1,077	736,990	317,628	43.10
1945	722,000	1,100	794,310	349,148	44.00
1946	802,000	1,138	912,970	451,639	49.50
1947	783,000	1,139	892,205	374,513	42.00
1948	594,000	1,239	739,380	368,040	49.80
1949	621,000	1,178	731,530	352,508	48.20
1950	640,000	1,441	858,140	477,508	55.60
1951	735,000	1,331	978,375	523,358	53.50
1952	735,000	1,222	898,090	448,582	49.90
1953	674,000	1,235	832,305	447,076	53.70
1954	686,000	1,204	889,490	483,003	54.30
1955	653,000	1,499	978,775	520,845	53.20
1956	579,000	1,661	961,495	496,324	51.60
1957	443,000	1,469	650,780	358,442	55.10
1958	429,000	1,718	736,855	427,307	58.00
1959	458,500	1,533	702,942	407,055	57.90
1960	457,500	1,836	839,870	512,731	61.10
1961	463,000	1,797	832,215	541,468	65.10
1962	483,000	1,890	912,810	549,594	60.20
1963	460,500	1,999	920,660	535,622	58.18
1964	416,000	2,282	949,450	549,875	57.90
1965	375,000	1,840	690,050	442,796	64.20
1966	409,500	1,859	761,360	506,605	66.50
1967	395,400	2,071	818,997	523,809	64.00
1968	350,500	1,850	648,533	430,613	66.45
1969	378,500	1,838	695,665	502,305	72.20
1970	383,800	2,076	796,941	571,211	71.70
1971	339,000	2,102	712,960	552,544	77.50
1972 * *	332,000	1,993	661,520	566,179	85.60

* Source: N. C. and USDA Crop Reporting Service.

* Preliminary for 1972

Note: Since 1965, production is pounds produced and does not reflect pounds not sold or pounds carried forward to the next season.

North Carolina Tobacco Warehouses and Operators
By Belts and Markets — 1972

BORDER BELT

Chadbourn (one set buyers)

Jimmy Green Whse. — Jimmy Green
Producers — Jack W. Garrett, Cricket Garett

Clarkton (one set buyers)

New Clarkton — Maynard Talley, Cecil Hartley
Bright Leaf — Jimmy Green

Fair Bluff (one set buyers)

Powell — B. A. Powell, Albert H. Powell
Planters — Randolph Currin, B. W. Currin, C. W. Shaw, S. Lawrence,
H. E. and H. B. Dunn
Fair Bluff Warehouse, Inc. — J. G. McNeill, Gen. Mgr.

Fairmont (four sets buyers)

Big Brick-Carolina — A. W. McDaniel, A. D. Lewis, Jr.
Liberty-Twin States — Lynn Floyd, Hoke Smith, Jr., Clarence Joyce Estate
Holliday-Frye — E. H. Frye, J. W. and J. M. Holliday
Square Deal — Mrs. W. G. Bassett, C. L. Smith
Planters-Mitchell — Harry Mitchell, Morris Daniel

Fayetteville (one set buyers)

Big Farmers — P. L. Campbell, A. R. Talley, Jr., Dan Talley
Planters — J. C. Adams, Billy Adams, Jimmy Adams

Lumberton (three sets buyers)

Carolina — J. L. Townsend, Sr. & Jr., J. E. Johnson, Jr., Sam Dunn
Smith-Dixie — Cecil Thompson, Jack Pait
Hedgpeth — E. H. Collins, Albert Thornton, Jr.
Liberty — H. D. Goode, R. H. Livermore, Frank White
Star — D. T. Stephenson, Hogan Teater, Russell Teater
Cooperative — C. E. McLaurin, Mgr.

Tabor City (one set buyers)

R. C. Coleman Co. — R. C. Coleman, Sr., Mrs. Harriet Sikes
Planters — Don Watson, Mgr.

Whiteville (three sets buyers)

Gray & Neal — A. Dial Gray, J. L. Neal
Crutchfield — G. E. & R. W. Crutchfield
Lea's Big Dixie — William Townes Lea, Louie Love
Liberty — J. W. Hooks, C. B. Barefoot, R. A. Barefoot, Mrs. Molly Barefoot
Moore's — C. C. Mason, C. F. Jeffcoat
Nelson's — Jim Smith, Lennox Long, Milton Gore
Planters — A. O. King, Jr., Cliff Stephens
Smith's — Ernest Smith, Joe T. Smith

EASTERN BELT

Ahoskie (one set buyers)

Basnight No. 1-2-3 — L. L. Wilkins, Sr. & Jr., H. G. Veazey, H. Jenkins
Farmers 1&2 — W. M. Odoms, S. S. Pierce, J. L. Morris

Clinton (one set buyers)

Carolina — L. D. Herring, C. J. Strickland, N. L. Daughtry, L. D. Starling,
J. P. Gore, Mrs. M. L. Bethune
Ross — Clarence Kirvin, Jr.

Dunn (one set buyers)

Lee's Planters, Inc. — Leland Lee
Big Four Whse. — Jack Calhoun, John Calhoun, Cleo Jones

Farmville (two sets buyers)

Bell's — R. A. Bell & Bros.
Fountain & Monk — John F. Fountain, J. I. Oakly, Robert Pierce
Planters — Chester Worthington, W. O. Newell, B. S. Correll, David Jones
and Mark Mozingo
New Blue — W. A. Allen

Goldsboro (one set buyers)

Carolina — Guy Best, D. M. Price
Farmers — Rudy Hill
Big Brick — J. R. Musgrave, Sr. & Jr., Helen Musgrave
Victory — Richard Gray

Greenville (five sets buyers)

Cannon's — W. T. Cannon, Carlton Dail
Farmers — W. Arthur Tripp, T. P. Thompson, Harold Watson, Jack
Warren
Star-Planters — B. B. Sugg, Harding Sugg
Keel — J. A. Worthington, J. B. Worthington, Fenner Allen
New Independent — T. W. Pruitt, W. A. Pruitt, James Belcher, W. E.
Pruitt
Raynor-Forbes-Clark — Noah Raynor, A. A. Forbes, Billy Clark, W. M.
Zachman
New Carolina — Laddie Avery, Larry Hudson

Kinston (four sets buyers)

Knott's 1 & 2 — Graham Knott, Billy Brewer
Farmers-New Dixie — John Jenkins, Sr. & Jr., Lee Jenkins
New Central — W. I. Herring, Bill King
H & H — Dempsey Hodges, Virgil Harper
Central — W. I. Herring, Bill King

Robersonville (one set buyers)

Grays-Red Front-Central — J. H. Gray, Jack Sharp, James E. Gray
Hardee Whse., Inc. — Edwin Lee

Rocky Mount (four sets buyers)

Cobb & Carlton — W. E. Cobb, Jr., J. C. Carlton

Mangum, Inc. — W. H. Phipps, General Mgr.
Planters — S. S. Edmondson
Smith's — James D. Smith, Sr., & Jr.
Works — R. J. Works, Jr., A. B. Raynor
Peoples — Guy Barnes, Gene Simmons, James Walker
Farmers — Joe W. Coleman, Allen C. Cooper
Fenners — J. B. Fenner

Smithfield (two sets buyers)

Farmers — N. Leo Daughtry, Bill Kennedy
Planters-Riverside — Joe Stephenson, Jerry Stephenson, Gilbert
Stephenson
Gold Leaf — R. A. Pearce, Sr. & Jr.
Wallace — Bobby Wallace, Larry Wallace

Tarboro (one set buyers)

Clark 1 & 2 — J. F. Wilson, Jr., George L. Proctor
Farmers No. 1 & 2 — Walter Walker, W. G. Maples, Fred L. Walston
Victory — W. V. Leggett, C. H. Leggett

Wallace (one set buyers)

Blanchard & Farrior — O. C. Blanchard, Sr. & Jr., W. H. Farrior, R. H.
Lanier
Hussey — Joe Bryant
Sheffield's — Homer M. Boney, Jr.
Farmers — H. G. Perry

Washington (one set buyers)

Sermon's — W. J. Sermon, Harry L. Roberts
Talley — W. G. Talley
Hassell — Malcolm P. Hassell

Wendell (one set buyers)

Liberty Farmers — H. H. Eddins, Berdon Eddins
Northside — Graham Dean, Bill Sanders
Banner — C. P. (Pete) Southerland

Williamston (one set buyers)

Rogers — Urbin Rogers, H. L. Barnhill, Russell Rogers
New Dixie — C. Fisher Harris, J. Elmo Lilley

Wilson (five sets buyers)

Big Dixie — W. Cecil Thompson, W. C. Edmundson
Centre-Brick — S. M. Cozart, U. H. Cozart, III, Fred M. Eagles
Bob's and Clark's — C. R. Clark
Growers — Clifford Aycock, Mgr.
Liberty — J. T. Worthington, W. Cecil Moore, Robert D. Oldham
Nichols & Scott — A. B. Nichols, Clay Scott
Smith-Planters — S. Grady Deans, John F. Deans
Wainwright's — George L. Wainwright, Sr. & Jr.

Windsor (one set buyers)

Planters No. 1 & 2 — C. B. Griffin, B. U. Griffin, Dave Newson
Farmers — Bill Davis, Norman Swain

MIDDLE BELT

Aberdeen (one set buyers)

Planters — W. Fentriss Phillips
Hardee's — Hugh T. Hardee

Carthage (one set buyers)

McConnells — E. C. Layton, Earl J. Ennis, George W. Mabe
Victory — E. C. Layton, Earl J. Ennis
Farmers — Bill Carter, Sr. & Jr.

Durham (three sets buyers)

Liberty — Walker Stone, Sr. & Jr., K. O. Bishop
Roycroft Mangum — J. K. Roycroft, Randolph Currin
Star Brick 1 & 2 — W. W. Cozart, W. L. Currin, A. L. Carver
Farmers Planters — J. M. Talley, Bob Dale, Sam Mangum

Ellerbe (one set buyers)

Farmers — Cecil Moore, Bobby Oldham, Ralph Duncan
Richmond County — Ashton Richardson, R. P. Brim, Jr.

Fuquay-Varina (two sets buyers)

New Deal — Dan Talley, Dan Brisson
Gold Leaf — J. W. Dale
Carolina — E. E. Clayton, Larry C. Knott
Roberts — Joe Roberts
Five Points — Waverly Aikens, Billy Adams

Henderson (two sets buyers)

Moore's Big Banner — A. H. Moore, C. E. Jeffcoat, B. W. Young
Carolina — J. S. Royster, I. J. Jackson
Farmers — W. J. Alston, Jr.
High Price-Dixie — C. B. Turner, R. E. Tanner, R. E. Fleming, S. P. Fleming, J. K. Parks, M. D. Abbott
Liberty 1 & 2 — George T. Robertson, S. E. Southerland, John Wilson
Ellington — F. H. Ellington, John Ellington
Alston's — W. J. Alston, Jr.
Big Dollar — M. L. Hight, James H. O'Brien

Louisburg (one set buyers)

Big Franklin — S. T. Cottrell, H. B. Cottrell
Ford's — Charlie Ford
Star — James Speed, Gus McGhee, Clemmon Pearce
Foster — John Foster, S. E. Southerland

Oxford (two sets buyers)

Banner-Mitchell — David Mitchell
Fleming — F. O. Finch, D. T. Currin, Jr.
Johnson-High Price-Owen — C. R. Watkins, Jr., John S. Watkins, Jr.,
T. J. Currin, Joe Hamme, S. M. Watkins, C. B. Wilkins
Yeargin-Granville — R. W. Crews, W. W. Yeargin

Sanford (one set buyers)

Twin City — W. M. Carter, T. W. Mansfield
Morgan's — Jimmy Morgan

Warrenton (one set buyers)

Boyd's — B. W. Currin, Jr.
Centre — M. P. Carroll, E. W. Radford, E. M. Moody
Farmers — E. G. Tarwater
Thompson — C. E. Thompson, M. P. Edwards, Jr.
Currin's 1 & 2 — C. W. Currin, D. G. Currin, Jr., David Tillotson

OLD BELT

Burlington (one set buyers)

Carolina — H. L. Perkins, C. R. McCauley
Newman & Robertson — N. C. Newman, Joe Robertson
Farmers — Bill McCauley, Alpha McCray

Greensboro (one set buyers)

Greensboro Tobacco Whse. Co. — R. C. Coleman, Jr., Mgr.
Guilford Tobacco Whse. — J. R. Pell, J. E. Pell, H. P. Smothers
W. B. Hull

Madison (one set buyers)

New Brick — Lloyd Webster, Ray White
Carolina — Lee McCollum, Ray White, Lloyd Webster
Sharpe & Smith Farmers — W. S. Smith, George Denham, Jr.,
F. S. Williams, S. H. Price, Jr.

Mebane (one set buyers)

Farmers — Jule Allen, Bill Allen
Piedmont — Billy Hopkins, Jimmy Hopkins

Mt. Airy (one set buyers)

Dixie — Tom Jones, Boyd Cain, F. V. Dearmin, Jr., W. H. Brown,
H. Y. Hodges, Fred E. Chilton
New Farmers — Tom Jones, Boyd Cain, F. V. Dearmin, Jr.,
W. H. Brown, H. Y. Hodges, Fred E. Chilton
Hunters — J. W. Hunter

Reidsville (one set buyers)

New Farmers — G. E. Smith, Steve Smith, P. D. McMichael, Phillip Carter
Smothers-Watts-Leader — A. P. Sands, Tom Kimbro, T. Garland Smothers

Roxboro (one set buyers)

Farmers — Lindsay Wagstaff, Kenneth Wagstaff, R. A. Hester, Larry C. Hester
Hyco — F. J. Hester
Foacre — H. W. Winstead, Jr., Pres.
Planters Whse. — T. O. Pass, Sr., & Jr.
Growers 1 & 2 — Elmo Mitchell, Roy Carver

Stoneville (one set buyers)

Joyce's — O. P. Joyce, W. R. Joyce
Farmers-Piedmont — R. N. Linville, Clarence Peebles, W. Q. Chilton,
Robert Rakestraw, Garland Rakestraw

Winston-Salem (four sets buyers)

Carolina-Star — R. W. Newsome, W. B. Simpson, H. M. Bouldin
Growers — Joe Pell, C. R. Harris, R. J. Harris, J. T. Harris
Peppers — C. F. Hutchins, Joe Cook, Homer Dearmin
Taylor — L. E. Pope
Big Winston — Taylor Carter, Jack Carter
Cook's — B. E. Cook, Claude Strickland, Jr., P. Thomas, Doug Cook
Planters — Paul Draughn, Roger L. Nichols, F. Smithdeal

Yadkinville (one set buyers)

Northwest N. C. Farmers Whse. — R. A. Owen, Sherman Todd
Big Yadkin Tobacco Whse., Inc. — E. H. Barnard, Ralph T. White, Chris

Rosser

Millers Tobacco Whse. Co. — J. A. Miller, Sr. & Jr., J. W. Flinchum,
Bill Wall

BURLEY BELT

Asheville (two sets buyers)

Dixie-Burley — R. A. Owen
Planters — J. W. Stewart
Day's — Charlie Day

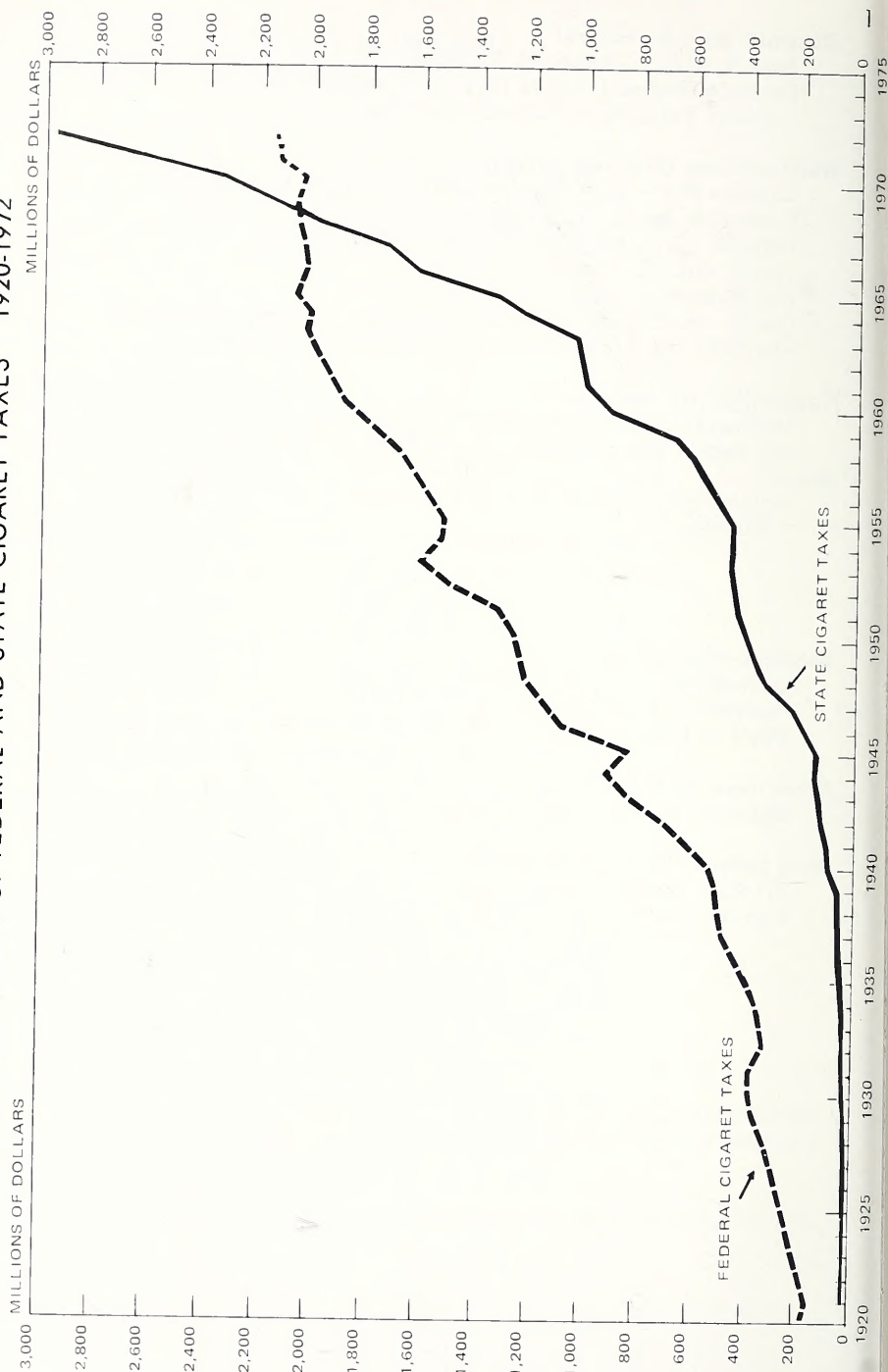
Boone (one set buyers)

Mountain Burley — Joe E. Coleman

West Jefferson (one set buyers)

Tri-State Burley — Rex Taylor
Farmers Burley — Mrs. Tom Faulkner

MOUNTING BURDEN OF FEDERAL AND STATE CIGARET TAXES 1920-1972

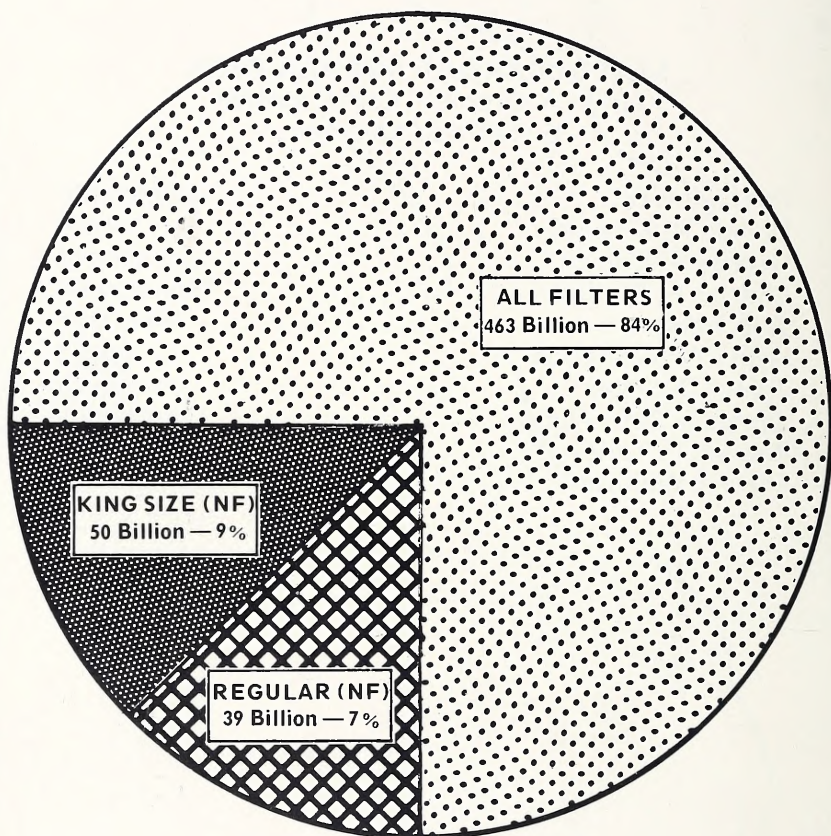


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